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FEE TRANSMITTAL

For FY 2005

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 200

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| Application Number | 10/775,401 |
| Filing Date | February 10, 2004 |
| First Named Inventor | Thomas Edward Pitonyak |
| Examiner Name | Alexandra K. Pechhold |
| Art Unit | 3671 |
| Attorney Docket No. | 076153.0103 |

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| Application Type | FILING FEES | | SEARCH FEES | | EXAMINATION FEES | | Fees Paid (\$) |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

| Fee Description | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |
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| Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent | 50 | 25 |
| Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent | 200 | 100 |
| Multiple dependent claims | 360 | 180 |

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| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
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HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

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| Indep. Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Thomas Edward Pitonyak et al.
Serial No.: 10/775,401
Date Filed: February 10, 2004
Group Art Unit: 3671
Examiner: Pechhold, Alexandra K.
Title: FOLDING FURROW ROLLER FOR THE
PREPARATION OF SEED BEDS

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

Amendment to the Attorney Docket Number is on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

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Applicants respectfully request correction of the Attorney Docket No. in the United States Patent Office records. Please replace with Attorney Docket No. **-076153.0103--**.